(1) Often said to be the centre of London, a statute of which king on horseback stands at Charing Cross: Charles I, Richard III or Henry V? Charles I.
(2) Which meteorological feature is known in French as 'nuage' and in German 'wolke'?
Cloud.
(3) In 1942, 'Citizen Kane' lost out on the Best Picture Oscar to what film: The Maltese Falcon, Sergeant York or How Green Was My Valley?
How Green Was My Valley.
(4) In Roman numerals what is the conventional two-letter representation 900?
CM.
(5) The constellation Sagitta is also known by what English name: The Arrow, The Pincer or The Horn?
The Arrow.
(6) On a Plimsoll line painted onto the hull of a ship, the letter ' $F$ ' indicates the maximum load level in what type of water?
Freshwater. (\& 'TF' stands for Tropical Fresh)
(7) Diastase was the first type of what molecule to be discovered: enzyme, hormone or amino acid?
Enzyme.
(8) To the nearest mile, the championship course between Putney and Mortlake on the Thames, used for the University Boat Race is how many miles ling?
Four. (374 yards)
(9) Which England World Cup winner's only job in football league management was with Southend United in the 1980s: Geoff Hurst, Bobby Charlton or Bobby Moore?
Bobby Moore.
(10) Which castle close to the river Severn between Bristol and Gloucester is said to be the place where King Edward II was murdered in 1327 ?

Berkeley Castle.
(11) Queen Elizabeth II trained in what profession in the 1940s: farmer, mechanic or nurse?
Mechanic.
(12) In the TV sitcom 'One Foot in the Grave', which Scottish actress played Margaret Meldrew?
Annette Crosbie.
(13) Almost all recipes for Welsh rarebit call for what cheese: Caerphilly, Cheddar or Red Leicester?
Cheddar.
(14) In the term 'contrail' for the stream of water vapour sometimes seen behind an aircraft, 'con' is an abbreviation of what word? Condensation.
(15) Which of these words describes something that is 'torrid': hot, wet or windy?
Hot.
(16) What is the name for the type of dice where the traditional spots are replaced with the playing card values of 9, 10, Jack, Queen, King \& Ace?
Poker dice.
(17) 'Cause Celeb' is a novel by which chick lit author: Marian Keyes, Helen Fielding or Sophie Kinsella?
Helen Fielding.
(18) The hip-hop blues singer Rory Graham born in 1985, has what stage name, also a term for someone who sells discarded items that can be reused?
Rag ' $n$ ' Bone Man.
(19) It was announced in 2017 that from 2026 the FIFA World Cup would feature how many teams: 32,48 or 56 ?
48.
(20) Name the first ten US states in an alphabetical list that contain one or both the letters ' $U$ ' or ' $S$ '?

Alaska, Arkansas, Connecticut, Illinois, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Minnesota \& Mississippi.
(21) In the 1997 film 'Batman and Robin' which actor played Batman? George Clooney.
(22) At the start of a standard game of chess, how many of the 64 squares are unoccupied?
32.
(23) The human body contains how many mandible bones? One.
(24) In Australia and New Zealand, Anzac Day is in what month? April.
(25) Madame Hooch is what sort of coach at Hogwarts? Quidditch.
(26) In the Doomsday Book, the Royal officer of a shire would have been given what title?

Sheriff.
(27) What Dutch city has a professional football team called 'Sparta'? Rotterdam.
(28) An open umbrella is the logo of which insurance company? Legal \& General.
(29) John Neville was the second husband of which of Henry VIII's wives? Catherine Parr.
(30) On TV, which widow lives 92 James Larkin Court in Dublin?

Mrs Brown.
(31) In 'Dr Who', how many times is The Doctor able to regenerate: 12, 14 or 16 ?
12.
(32) The name of what soya curd comes from Chinese for 'rotten beans'? Tofu.
(33) Which of these is a term for a person who collects neckties: grabatologist, snatchatologist or nabatologist?

Grabatologist.
(34) How is the dragon Elliott referred to in the title of a 2016 film? Pete's Dragon.
(35) Which colonel was born Andreas Cornelis van Kuijk in the Netherlands: Colonel Buzz Aldrin, Colonel Tom Parker or Colonel Harland Sanders? Colonel Tom Parker.
(36) Hippus is the contraction of what part of the eye?

Pupil.
(37) In 2016, what Belgian product was added to UNESCO's cultural heritage list: waffles, chocolate or beer?
Beer.
(38) What title is given to the daughters of the Spanish Sovereign? Infanta.
(39) In basketball, what term is used for a shot scored just as the time runs out at the end of the game: buzzer beater, whistle winner or clock shot?
Buzzer beater.

## QUESTION 40

## Name the ten countries from which the following sweet foods originated?

| 1. | Lamington - Australia |
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| 2. | Sachertorte - Austria |
| 3. | Madeleine - France |
| 4. | Lebkuchen - Germany |
| 5. | Tiramisu - Italy |
| 6. | Pan de muerto - Mexico |
| 7. | Stroopwafel - Netherlands |
| 8. | Pastel de Nata - Portugal |
| 9. | Paskha - Russia |
| 10. | Key Lime Pie - USA |

